

PUBLIC LEDGER



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ONE CENT.



Purely Business!

The columns of a newspaper represent a cash value. No publisher can afford to give advertising "notices" free any more than a merchant can toss over his counter free gifts of dry goods or shoes. A newspaper is a legitimate business concern. Its columns are its stock in trade, and advertisements should be paid for, no matter in what part of the paper they appear.

The Continued Calls

upon THE LEDGER for free notices have become so burdensome that we are forced to publish the following terms:

For Notices of Suppers,

excursions, fairs, or other public entertainments where a fee is charged, and for obituary notices, resolutions of respect, etc., THE LEDGER will charge FIVE CENTS A LINE, and hereafter this will be the invariable rule. This, however,

Does Not Include

notices of Lodge meetings or Church services, which must not exceed ten lines.

Avoidance of Disputes.

Misunderstandings are unpleasant. The rate for Business Local in THE LEDGER is 10 cents a line for the first insertion and 5 cents a line for subsequent insertions. A customer orders a five-line local inserted in the paper. "I'll tell you when to take it out," he says to the bookkeeper. But he forgets all about it. The notice runs for two months—52 times—the bill is \$26. When he finds it out there is a "kick" and a controversy, followed probably by an icy feeling. Now, to obviate this trouble, no "full paid" notices will be accepted hereafter. Let's have a definite agreement at the outset and the termination will be pleasant all around.

All matter for publication must be handed in before 9 o'clock in the morning of each day.



If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Mrs. Katie Bierley is in Cincinnati today.

Colonel Charles D. Pearce is in Louisville on business.

Dr. D. W. C. Franklin has returned from a visit to Chicago.

Mrs. Hamilton Gray is a guest at the St. Nicholas, Cincinnati.

Mrs. John D. Bruer of Paris is on a visit to relatives and friends here.

Miss Alberta Luman left for Cincinnati this morning to remain several days.

Mrs. George W. Welsh of Danville is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. D. Cochran.

Mrs. Anna Means is at home after a visit to relatives in Cincinnati and Bellevue.

Miss Alice Cluney has returned from a three weeks visit to friends and relatives at Paris.

Miss Louise Lukins of Restonville is the charming guest of Miss Allie Alexander of Limestone street.

Mrs. C. A. Farnsworth of Scranton, Miss., has returned home after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Whitaker.

Mr. J. F. Thompson has returned from the K. of P. Grand Lodge meeting, accompanied by his daughter Lydia, who has been visiting Miss Mertie Knapp of Cincinnati.

Mr. John Short is able to be out after a serious illness of two weeks with flux.

The Republicans last night organized a McKinley, Hobart and Pugh Club at Plumville.

Mr. Garrett Thompson has resigned his position as salesman at Hoeftlich & Bro.'s and entered the Bible College at Lexington to prepare himself for the Ministry.

Prof. J. R. Spurgeon on Saturday night organized a McKinley Club at Lewisburg with 64 members, William Stockton Captain, George Parker Lieutenant, and Robert Davis Sergeant. This Club will come down in a body Saturday night to hear Hon. Stephen A. Douglas.

Miss Anna Britten of this city and Mr. Jesse C. Ragland of Lexington will be married Wednesday at high noon at the home of the bride on East Fifth street, the Rev. John S. Bave officiating. The attendants will be Miss May Proctor and Mr. Dudley Martin of this city.

Mr. John Myers, one of the oldest and most respected citizens of Lewis county, died yesterday morning, aged about 83. He belonged to the early families of Lewis, and nearly his whole life was spent near Concord. Mr. Myers had been feeble for several years. He leaves several children, among them Mr. H. C. Myers, who lives at the paternal home.



THE BOOMING OF BRYAN.

Now is Bryan moving Eastward on a hurricane of language. Sweeping all the earth with speeches, Driving dry the Mississippi With his whizzing talk tornado; Filling all the air with mouthness, Filling all the earth with chimeless, Filling all the sea with jawness, Filling all the sky with wordness, Loading every vale with language, Piling high the hills with utterance, Giving off his oratory As an onion drops its peeling, Caulking all the cracks of silence With his eloquent stuffiness, Hurling great spell-binding cart-loadings Of his many-worded thinklets At an unoffending people; Scraping down the stars of heaven To be used as punctuation Marks in his magniloquence; Never stopping for a moment, Comes he Eastward in September, On a hurricane of language, On a roaring tide of language, On a tidal wave of language, On an autumn flood of language, In a wild stampede of language, In a reckless mob of language, Down a cañon of language; Rushing, roaring, pounding, crashing, Slashing, smashing, smooching, sounding, Slapping, slammung, slopping, swiping, Whopping, whopping, whanging, whizzing, Language, language, language, language! —New York Sun.

Rev. J. D. Walsh is reported ill at Lexington.

Fresh Oysters at Diener's Restaurant, Market street.

John Kinney was fined \$3 and costs for disorderly conduct.

Blue Stone will keep your wheat from smutting. For sale at Chenoweth's.

Prof. J. R. Spurgeon will organize a Club at Washington Wednesday night.

STOP THAT COLD.

Jay's LaGrippe Tablets are guaranteed to cure or your money refunded by Pecor, Druggist.

The Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Oddfellows convened yesterday at Dallas, Texas.

THE LEDGER window now presents another striking object lesson of the workman's woes and how to alleviate them.

For Pure Drugs call on Henry W. Bay, successor to Theo. C. Power, next door to Postoffice. Prescriptions a specialty.

Colonel Robert M. Marshall of Sardis has sent THE LEDGER the champion cornstalk. It measures six and a-half inches in circumference in its stocking feet.

Mrs. Blanche Kenney Smith, aged 35, wife of Commonwealth's Attorney John Smith of Paris, died of consumption Sunday afternoon. She leaves two small children.

A letter written by Candidate Bryan to Hon. Cecil W. Pence of Covington, before the Blackburn Senatorial contest, predicted the disruption of the Democratic party on the silver issue.

The gross earnings of the L and N. for the second week in September were \$392,495, a decrease of \$40,110 from 1895, of \$4,505 from 1894, an increase of \$53,043 over 1893, and a decrease of \$42,485 from 1892.

Bargains in Sterling Silver Spoons and Forks; also in Rogers & Bro.'s 1847 Knives, Forks and Spoons. Never before have these goods been sold as cheap as P. J. Murphy the Jeweler is offering them.

Next Sunday evening there will begin at the Central Presbyterian Church a series of meetings. Rev. Dr. Rennie, Pastor of the Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church, Covington, will do the preaching.

From all accounts Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a Godsend to the afflicted. There is no advertisement about this; we feel just like saying it.—The Democrat, Carrollton, Ky. For sale by J. James Wood, Druggist.

Martin Heffren, aged 5 months, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Heffren, died Sunday morning at the home of the family near Lewisburg, of congestion of the brain. The funeral occurred Monday morning at 9 o'clock, after which the remains were buried at Washington.

Mr. Edward Cox, aged 81, and an old-time resident of Maysville, for many years living at Point Pleasant, O., has been for several days the guest of Mr. William Wormald. He remembers distinctly the visit of Lafayette, and saw the distinguished Frenchman when he was in this city in 1824.

Judge Q. A. Ward of Paris was at Presbytery last week at Washington. He is related to the Ward family, formerly prominent in that locality, of which Captain Charles Ward was the progenitor, one of whom, John Coalter, was buried in the last century, and has about one of the oldest headstones in the ground. His grandmother was a Coalter and lived at Washington at one time. Some of his relatives of that name are buried in the old cemetery at Washington.

Mrs. L. V. Davis is now ready to show a nice line of early Fall Millinery.

Master Verne Perkins Kay is attending the Fourth street Kindergarten, Cincinnati.

TAKE CARE OF THAT COLD.

Twenty-five cents' worth of Jay's Grip Tablets will cure; guaranteed by Pecor, Druggist.

Mrs. Blatterman desires to have all the ladies of the city and county who wish to become Daughters of the American Revolution to meet with her, at No. 15 West Fourth street, on Friday afternoon, September 25th, at 3 o'clock. She wishes to send to Washington City all the application papers as soon as possible for examination, so that we may know if we can form a Chapter.



Every Day

Between this date and the Presidential Election THE LEDGER will send out a large number of extra copies through Mason and adjoining counties.

There's no better medium for advertising than this.



Judge A. A. Wadsworth will address the McKinley Club at Manchester Thursday night, on which occasion our Ohio friends propose to put the big pot in the little one.

Friday night the Republicans of Lakeland organized a McKinley Club with 75 members, 25 of them Democrats who have pledged to support McKinley for President. The officers of the Club are Dr. W. R. Heflin President, L. Ramsey Vice-President, Dr. L. E. Goslee Secretary, J. Drury Treasurer.

Hon. Stephen A. Douglas of Illinois will speak at the Courthouse Saturday night, and everybody is invited. The McKinley Clubs of the city will turn out in force. Mr. Douglas is a son of Hon. Stephen A. Douglas, who made the race for the Presidency in 1860, and is one of the most eloquent speakers now before the public.

Building Association Receipts. The receipts of the several Building Associations of this city Saturday night were as follows:

Mason County.....	\$ 583 00
Limestone.....	238 40
People's.....	239 40
Total.....	\$1,060 80

BOGUS CHECK MAN.

HE IS SAFELY LANDED AND WILL PROBABLY RETIRE.

A man giving his name as Thomas Harvey and his home as Twin Creek was arrested yesterday on suspicion.

He had selected a lot of furniture at White, Judd & Co.'s and tendered payment in a check which was refused.

He then went to Messrs. John T. Martin & Co.'s and tried to pass the check for some clothing, when his suspicious actions caused his arrest.

The check that Mr. Harvey (7) tendered was for \$38, dated September 18th, numbered 13—alas! the unlucky number—and was drawn on the Charleston National Bank by James T. Harrison in favor of Thomas Harvey and indorsed by the latter. The filling in of the check was a bungling job throughout.

Chief Ort at once telegraphed the Bank at Charleston and this morning received the following reply:

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Sept. 22d. D. P. Ort, Chief of Police: Check not good. Don't know either party named in your telegram.

H. L. PRICHARD, Cashier. At the time of his arrest Harvey had in his possession a number of blank checks of the Fourth National Bank of Cincinnati, two watches, a lot of empty cartridge-shells and \$7 10 in money. He will have a hearing at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Mrs. John C. Herndon and daughter Fanny, Miss Helen Bate Floyd of Louisville and Miss Anna Herndon of Frankfort are in the city for the purpose of attending Mr. L. Lyne Herndon's wedding at the Central Presbyterian Church tomorrow afternoon to Miss May Marvin Bradford of Aberdeen.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL WORK.

The House-to-house Visitation to Be Made Next Month.

The "House-to-house Visitation" of Mason county, in behalf of the Kentucky Sunday school Union, will be made Saturday, October 30th, 1896.

Let every one enter heartily into the Sunday-school work and great and good results will be accomplished.

We hope that the census will show a better state of affairs than that which exists in our sister county of Fleming, which we publish below:

There are in Fleming county 6,607 white persons over 21 years old; 4,899 of them are Church members and 1,475 of them are in the Sunday-school, leaving a balance of 1,777 who are not Church members and 5,132 not in the Sunday-school.

There are in Fleming county 5,228 white persons between the ages of 4 and 21; 992 of them are Church members and 2,206 are in Sunday-schools, leaving 4,286 who are not Church members and 3,022 not in Sunday school.

The number of white persons under 4 is 1,450; 33 of them are Church members and 133 are in Sunday-school.

The total number of white persons in Fleming county is 13,285; 5,885 of them are Church members and 3,814 of them are in Sunday-school, leaving a balance of 7,430 who are not Church members and 9,471 who are not in Sunday-school.

Protestants visited.....12,990
Roman Catholics.....293
Number of visitors.....95
Number of visits made.....2,998

By noticing the above figures we may observe that only a little over 31 per cent. of those over 4 years of age are in the Sunday-school, leaving nearly 69 per cent. not in Sunday-school. We may notice that only a little over 42 per cent. between the ages of 4 and 21 are in the Sunday-school, leaving nearly 58 per cent. of this age not in the Sunday-school.

Worst of all, we may notice that of those over 21 years of age only a little over 22 per cent. are in Sunday-school, leaving a balance of nearly 78 per cent. over 21 years of age not in Sunday-school.

LET'S SEE WHO'S RIGHT!

GENERAL GROSVENOR FIGURES FOR MCKINLEY.

General Grosvenor of Athens, O., who so successfully figured out McKinley's nomination at St. Louis, has given out a table of estimates of the probable result of the Presidential election, at the request of certain members of the press in the East. He said:

"The six New England states, with 80 electoral votes, will go to McKinley, so I head my table as follows:

New England.....	39	Wisconsin.....	12
New York.....	36	Iowa.....	13
New Jersey.....	10	Minnesota.....	9
Delaware.....	3	South Dakota.....	4
Maryland.....	8	Kentucky.....	13
Pennsylvania.....	32	Oregon.....	4
West Virginia.....	6	Washington.....	4
Ohio.....	23	California.....	9
Indiana.....	15		
Illinois.....	24	Total.....	278
Michigan.....	14		

STATES IN DOUBT.

"Here is a total of 278 votes, or 54 more than sufficient to elect. I come to some states which are still in doubt, to-wit: Kansas 10, Nebraska 8, North Carolina 11, North Dakota 3, Wyoming 3; total 35.

"Of the remaining states: Louisiana 8, Tennessee 12, Missouri 17, Texas 13, Virginia 12; total 64—

"One or more of them is within the line of possibility—I might almost say reasonable probability.

"I concede to Bryan and Watson or Bryan and Sewall—

Alabama.....	11	Montana.....	3
Arkansas.....	8	Nevada.....	3
Colorado.....	4	South Carolina.....	9
Florida.....	4	Utah.....	3
Georgia.....	13		
Idaho.....	3	Total.....	70
Mississippi.....	9		

"These are practically sure for the opposition, although there may be a possible dispute."

Our Watch Hospital



petition.

is always open. A watch must keep time as a train must keep the track. If your watch don't keep time bring it here and we will make it right to smallest part of a second. When a watch leaves our hospital to renew its duel with Time its seconds must be reliable, and we make them so in every case. When a watch runs even with time it's ahead. Ours are;—so are our Clocks and entire stock of Jewelry, Silverware, &c.,—ahead of competition.

BALLENGER, Jeweler.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

Carlton Dora, for disorderly conduct, was fined \$3 and costs.

A. O. U. W.
Regular meeting tonight at Hall on Sutton at 7:30. A full attendance is desired as business of importance will be transacted.
R. H. WALLACE, R.

THE FAVORED CLASS.

THE INCONSISTENCY OF THE GREAT BOY ORATOR.

Cincinnati Times-Star.

In his latest letter of acceptance the Orator expresses the opinion that "to empower National Banks to issue circulating notes is to grant a valuable privilege to a favored class, surrender to private corporations the control over the volume of paper money and build up a class which will claim a vested interest in the Nation's financial policy." The bulk of this same letter is devoted to the free coinage of silver. The Orator demands free and unlimited coinage at the ratio of 16 to 1, which means that the Government will coin free of charge all the silver bullion brought to the Mints. Who are the silver bullion owners? They are the silver producers, the holders of stock in silver mines. Much of the stock in the silver mines in America is in British hands; nearly three-fourths of the stock of the silver mines of the world is held by British capitalists. Under free coinage in the United States, these owners of bullion in any and all of the mines of the world could bring their product to our Mints and have it coined into United States dollars, receiving a dollar piece for every 412½ grains of silver, now worth in the market 52 cents. A free coinage law would be distinctly an act in the interest of the mine owner. Nobody else could go to the Government and get silver dollars. These dollars would go only to the men who brought the bullion to the Mint. The Government would have no control whatever over the coined silver. It would be the property of the silver producers. The Government could not get any of the silver dollars except through the custom houses or internal revenue taxes or by selling something to mine owners, who would be "the favored class," having absolute control over the volume of silver money and a "vested interest in the Nation's financial policy."

The Orator, in denouncing the National Bank system on the ground that it grants a special privilege to a favored class, and advocating the free coinage of silver in the interest of "the toiling masses," when obviously the silver producers would be specially favored by such legislation, not only getting their product coined at public expense, but in having a monopoly of the money supply of the country, affords an example of consistency seldom witnessed in an earthly age.

How's This!
We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for anyone who can furnish information as to the whereabouts of the late J. J. Cheney.

F. J. CHENEY & CO.,
Proprietors, Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by him.

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